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Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070020		
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE		
Inspection Date:	Thursday, June 10, 2004		
Start Date/Time:	6/10/2004 10:00:00 AM		
End Date/Time:	6/10/2004 3:00:00 PM		
Last Inspection:	Friday, May 21, 2004		

Inspector: Steve Demczak, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: Raining, 50 Degrees InspectionID Report Number: 297

Accepted by: pgrubaug

7/13/2004

Permitee: HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES INC Operator: HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES INC

Site: HORIZON MINE

Address: HC 35 BOX 370, HELPER UT 84526

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages

Mineral Ownership	Types of Operations
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1,998.99 Total Permitted	✓ Federal	✓ Underground
9.50 Total Disturbed	☐ State	Surface
Phase I	☐ County	Loadout
Phase II	✓ Fee	Processing
Phase III	Other	Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments:

Permit Condition #2 states that Hidden Splendor Resources, Inc will update the appropriate sections of the mining and reclamation plan with the permit transfer information by August 1, 2003. The first submittal was on September 30, 2003, task #1747 and was found to be deficient. This second submittal from Hidden Splendor has a new task #1836. The Division has approved amendment #1836.

No violations.

Inspector's Signature

Steve Demczak, Environmental Scie

Date

Friday, June 11, 2004

Inspector ID Number: 39

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
 b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
 Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	✓			
2.	Signs and Markers	✓		✓	
3.	Topsoil	V		V	
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	V		V	
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	V		V	
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	V		V	
4.d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	✓		V	
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	V		V	
5.	Explosives	~			
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	V			
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments		V	✓	
8.	Noncoal Waste	V		V	
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	V			
10.	Slides and Other Damage	V			
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation	✓ .			
12.	Backfilling And Grading	V			
13.	Revegetation	V			
14.	Subsidence Control	✓		✓	
15.	Cessation of Operations	V			
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing		✓			
16.	o Roads: Drainage Controls	~			
17.	Other Transportation Facilities	V			
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	V		✓	
19.	AVS Check	✓		✓	
20.	Air Quality Permit	✓		✓	
21.	Bonding and Insurance	✓		V	
22.	Other				

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2. Signs and Markers

The identification sign was inspected and compiled with the requirements of the R645 Coal Rules.

3. Topsoil

The topsoil pile was inspected with no signs of wind or water erosion. Vegetation is growing on the topsoil pile.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

The diversions were spot-checked and were functioning as designed. No water was flowing within the diversion. The outside weather conditions was slightly raining during the inspection.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

The sediment pond did contain water but was not discharging during the inspection. No hazardous conditions were noticed during the inspection. The sediment pond was inspected by the permittee on April 13, 2004 for the second quarter.

4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures

The silt fence within the roadside diversion need repair. The fence was functioning as designed but the upper part of the fence was hanging down. Permittee has committed in repairing the silt fence.

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

The permittee will be taking water samples for the second quarter on June 18th. The permittee has entered the first quarter water data into the Division's database system.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

The permittee was in compliance with the UPDES permit for May of 2004.

7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments

Horizon has no refuse pile.

8. Noncoal Waste

The mine site was picked up of non-coal waste material.

14. Subsidence Control

This information is in the annual report.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

No new support facilities were constructed since the last inspection.

Inspection Continuation Sheet

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19. AVS Check

The Mining and Reclamation agreement has the same information as the Applicant Violator System.

20. Air Quality Permit

The air quality permit is DAQE-700-00.

21. Bonding and Insurance

The insurance will expire on June 1, 2005.